

1 HONORABLE RICHARD A. JONES
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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON
AT SEATTLE

9 SUSAN SNYDER,
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11 Plaintiff,

12 v.
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14 Defendants.

CASE NO. C11-1379RAJ

MINUTE ORDER

15 The following minute order is made by the direction of the court, the Honorable
16 Richard A. Jones:

17 Plaintiff filed a surreply (Dkt. # 30) without giving notice, in violation of Local
18 Rules W.D. Wash. CR 7(g)(1). Defendants responded by filing a motion (Dkt. # 31) that
19 they noted for the same day they filed it, in violation of Local Rules W.D. Wash.
20 CR 7(d).

21 Both of these improperly filings air a dispute over the length of Defendants' recent
22 reply brief (Dkt. # 28), which is a page and a quarter longer than the court's local rules
23 permit. The court directs the parties to seriously consider whether it is an appropriate use
24 of their clients' resources or the court's time to argue over a page and a quarter of
25 briefing, much less to resort to motion practice to resolve that argument.

1 The clerk shall STRIKE Plaintiff's surreply (Dkt. # 30) and TERMINATE
2 Defendants' motion (Dkt. # 31).

3 Dated this 25th day of July, 2012.

4 WILLIAM M. MCCOOL
5 Clerk

6 s/Consuelo Ledesma
7 Deputy Clerk